IN THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

APPELLEE

v. APPEAL NO. 23-2396

MARCUS MILLSAP

APPELLANT

MOTION TO FILE OVERLENGTH INITIAL BRIEF

COMES NOW the Appellant Marcus Millsap by and through his counsel Michael Kiel Kaiser, and for his motion for to file overlength brief, states:

- 1. Millsap's corrected brief is due to be filed on October 30, 2023.
- 2. Millsap has tendered an overlength initial brief contemporaneously with this motion.
- 3. Millsap respectfully requests that this Court excuse the requirement of Local Rule 28A(l) and permit him to file an overlength brief despite filing this motion less than seven days prior to the brief's due date.
- 4. Millsap's jury trial lasted from September 7-24, 2021, and the appellate record is over 2,500 pages in length.
- 5. Millsap has raised 12 distinct issues in his initial brief.
- 6. Millsap's initial brief filed contemporaneously with this motion contains 84 pages, 15,563 words, and 1,474 lines, and is thus overlength pursuant to Fed. R. App. P. 32(a)(7).

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7. Given the size of the appellate record and the number of issues at play in

this appeal, Millsap respectfully request that this Court permit him to file

an overlength brief.

WHEREFORE Appellant respectfully requests that this Court permit him

to file an overlength brief and accept the overlength initial brief that was filed

contemporaneously with this motion for filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 29, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing

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Circuit by using the CM/ECF system. I certify that all participants in the case are

registered CM/ECF users and that service will be accomplished by the CM/ECF

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